

REMARKS

Claims 1 to 85 and 93 to 95 remain on the case. Claims 86 through 92 have been cancelled.

Paragraph [048] has been amended to introduce the emulated DTE/DCE, V.34 and Hayes Compatible emulated interfaces. Support for these amendments can be found in the claims as filed.

Reconsideration in view of the following remarks and entry of the foregoing amendments are respectfully requested.

OBJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(D)(1)

Claims 23, 25, 28, 58, 59, 62, 63, 66, 68, 87 and 91 have been objected to on the grounds that they claim subject matter not found in the specification and therefore are not in conformance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(d)(1). Applicant submits that paragraph [048] as amended overcomes this objection.

REJECTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 102

Claims 86 through 92 have been rejected as being anticipated by US Patent Application by Bryson and published with the number 2004/018777 and therefore not in conformance with under 35 U.S.C. § 102. Claims 86 through 92 have been cancelled.

The rejections of the original claims are believed to have been overcome by the present remarks and the introduction of new claims. From the foregoing, further and

favorable action in the form of a Notice of Allowance is believed to be next in order, and such an action is earnestly solicited.

PETITION FOR 1-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby request that the period for responding to the Office Action dated March 21, 2008, and originally set to expire on June 21, 2008 be extended by one (1) month, so as to expire on July 21, 2008.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge fee pursuant to Fee Code 2251 in the amount of \$60, to cover the 1-month extension herein requested, to the credit card ending in 1039. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies or to credit any overcharges to this same Deposit Account number 04-0100. Favorable action on this request for extension of time is courteously solicited.

Authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account no. 04-0100 for any deficiencies or overages in connection with this response.

Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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